

THE WEATHER.

Maritime—Moderate winds; mostly fair, not much change in temperature; local snow bursts.

Toronto, April 5.—Pressure is high over the Lake region and also over Saskatchewan and Alberta, while a shallow disturbance now in the south west states will probably move toward the Great Lakes. The weather has been for the most part fair and cool today throughout the Dominion.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

	Min.	Max.
Vancouver	46	58
Calgary	36	53
Edmonton	33	44
Battleford	34	40
Prince Albert	24	43
Medicine Hat	38	48
Moose Jaw	31	49
Regina	29	46
Winnipeg	29	40
Parry Sound	18	34
London	16	32
Toronto	26	38
Kingston	28	36
Ottawa	18	34
Montreal	18	36
Quebec	24	44
Halifax	24	44

AROUND THE CITY

Found By Police

A lady's handbag found on King street Saturday can be had on the owner making application to the Central Police Station. A roll of olefin was found on Chesley street Saturday afternoon and was placed in the North End police station where it can be obtained by the owner.

North End Conservative Club.

The monthly meeting of the North End Conservative Club will take place Tuesday evening, April 7, at 8 o'clock in Orange Hall, Simonds street. After a musical programme F. L. Potts, will address the meeting. The public is invited.

Child Dead

Sympathy will be expressed for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. H. Maxwell of Bridgetown, N. S., formerly of St. John, in the loss of their little son, Frederick Howland, aged two years and five months. The death occurred at the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Maxwell, 81 Portland street, with whom he had been staying while his parents were visiting in Boston. They were called home hurriedly on the news of the little fellow's illness and the death was a fearful shock to both of them.

Wharf Work Progressing.

Mr. Boone, the contractor for the new wharf for the Marine and Fisheries Department on the West Side, has a large force of men at work, and it is expected his contract will be completed in July. The crib for the outer face of the wharf are practically completed and will be sunk in a short time. The bulk of the concrete work on the sides of the wharf was finished last year. Gangs of men are at work getting the last of the cribs ready, and others are busy on the concrete work.

Seamen's Institute Services

At the Seamen's Institute on Saturday evening a large number of men listened with great pleasure and profit to a most earnest temperance address delivered by Rev. Mr. Cotton of St. Luke's church. Mrs. Seymour, representing the W. C. T. U. presided. On Sunday evening the platform in the large hall was radiant with scarlet and white flowers, donated very kindly by Adams Shand, florist. Rev. Wilfrid Gaetz of Queen Square church, had the service in charge and presented the strong, sweet message of the living Saviour who is ever ready to help and save.

Gathering Information.

George Spencer, chief operating officer of the board of railway commissioners for Canada is at the Royal Mr. Spencer, whose head office is in Ottawa, is making a trip through eastern Canada in order to gain some acquaintance with railway conditions. He is a western man, and this is his first trip to the Maritime Provinces. He said his visit here had no particular significance beyond a desire to gather information which would help him in his work. "Although this is not a good time of year to see New Brunswick, I must say I have been greatly impressed with what I have seen of it so far," he said. "This must be a fine country in the summer time."

FAILED TO REALIZE SPIRITUAL MISSION

Rev. J. J. McCaskill in St. Andrew's Church — Accident to Organ Prevents Recital.

Rev. J. J. McCaskill occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's church last evening, and preached an interesting sermon, dealing with the mission of Christ as contrasted with the expectations of the Jews. A people who abandon their spiritual ideals are dead, he said. Christ did not come as the Jews expected the Messiah to come, and they did not realize his spiritual mission because they believed the Messiah would come as a ruler clothed with temporal power. He pointed out that Christ gave a new and nobler interpretation to the teachings of the prophets in the old testament, and gave the world the first religion based on the consciousness of the brotherhood of all men. Owing to an accident to the church organ the musical recital which had been intended to hold after the service had to be postponed.

GOLDEN BUREAU LURES HUNTERS FOR TREASURE

North End Man Undertakes Search as Result of Vivid Dream — Secures Outfit.

A citizen, who resides in the vicinity of the North End police station, has about completed arrangements for starting on a hunt for buried treasures. For many years he has been interested in treasure hunting and several times he headed parties who failed to discover actual treasure, although surmises that people of earlier times had been in the place were found.

It is one of the traditions in this man's family that one of the islands in the Bay of Fundy, near St. John, there is buried immense treasure. This treasure is said to have been collected by privateersmen of the early days. These men preyed on merchantmen and it is said buried much of their ill-gotten gains near St. John. Among the valuables, it is said, are diamonds and gold coin and a large cannon of pure gold, which was believed to have been brought from one of the palaces of an European monarch. This huge ornament weighs in the vicinity of a ton and is said to be the only one of its kind ever cast.

The North End man has been after this treasure for many years and now he believes that he has solved the mystery surrounding the exact location of the buried valuables.

Men have been engaged for the expedition which is to start as soon as the weather conditions permit. A large motor boat and scow with hoisting gear will be utilized in the search and it is also understood that a diver will be necessary.

The cause of the present strenuous activity was a vivid dream, which the leader of the treasure hunters had a few nights ago. In his dream he saw the spot where the treasure was secured and when he awakened he remembered visiting the spot on a previous hunt. The dream made such an impression on him that he consulted several of his friends and they strongly advised a search. It is likely that the search will be started about May 1st.

FISHERMEN'S PROTECTIVE ASSOCIATION

Lorneville Fishermen to Organize — Invite those along the Coast to Affiliate — Resolutions.

At a largely attended public meeting of the fishermen of Lorneville held in the lower Orange hall, on Saturday night it was decided to form a fishermen's protective association and invite the fishermen of St. John harbor, Musquash, Chance Harbor and Lepreau to affiliate. George H. Galbraith was elected temporary chairman and Samuel Ferguson secretary. A. O. E. Wilson, of the St. John harbor fishermen was present and urged the formation of a protective association.

The following were appointed to wait on the Minister of Marine and Fisheries to ask for certain changes in fishing regulations: Geo. H. Galbraith, Samuel Ferguson, William T. Galbraith, Alexander McAllister, Andrew Galbraith, John Byers. The same committee was entrusted to draw up the constitution of the proposed association and submit it at the organization meeting which will be held during the close of this month.

Resolutions were passed extending a vote of thanks to John B. Baxter, M. L. A., Thomas B. Carson, M. L. A., C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., and G. Bartie Logan for successful efforts put forth in defeating the St. John Hydro-electric bill.

H. R. McLELLAN A CANDIDATE FOR MAYOR?

Understood Commissioner of Public Safety will Enter Mayoralty Contest — Would not Confirm Rumor

It is understood that H. R. McLellan, city commissioner for public safety, will be candidate for the mayoralty in opposition to an enthusiastic Mr. McLellan would not confirm the rumor or last night. The commissioner of public safety led the polls at the time of his election two years ago and a contest for the position of chief executive of the city between him and Mayor Fryk would no doubt prove a spirited one.

WORKING FOR TEMPERANCE

Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston in Impressive Address, in York Theatre — Urges Suppression.

"I have more respect for the man directly engaged in the liquor business and who acknowledges it than for the man who has shares in the traffic and also a seat in the church," said Mrs. Deborah Knox Livingston at the temperance meeting in the York Theatre last evening. She made an earnest plea for the co-operation of all citizens in the suppression of the liquor evil.

Mrs. Livingston is national president of the W. C. T. U. and her address last evening was generally appreciated by those present.

The meeting was under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. of St. John and the large auditorium was well filled. J. Willard Smith presided. In opening her remarks Mrs. Livingston referred to the temperance campaign that is now going on throughout America and pointed out that its object was the complete elimination of the liquor traffic from the continent. She said that no legislation could save the drunkard but that legislation could help to keep him saved.

The temperance question was the most popular issue of the day and Mrs. Livingston particularly referred to President Wilson, Vice-President Marshall and Secretary of State Bryan, who were all total abstainers.

Drink was the cause of a great portion of the crime and wretchedness in the world today and the speaker also referred to the child labor problem, which could practically be solved by the elimination of the liquor traffic from the land.

Many of the inmates of sanitariums were made susceptible to disease through the drinking of alcoholic liquors. It had been scientifically proven that the total abstainer had better chances of recovery from any of the deadly ills of life than the man who drank even moderately.

THE SAFETY FIRST MOVEMENT GAINING MUCH HEADWAY NOW

J. E. Long Says, Railway Men Enthusiastic over Idea — To Commence Organizing Committees.

Mr. Long, safety engineer of the I. C. R. was in the city yesterday. He is now engaged delivering lectures on the railway system. Speaking of the movement he said the men were displaying much interest in its possibilities. He believed they would hold in an enthusiastic manner in a few weeks the preliminary educational work among the railway men at divisional points will be finished and then Mr. Long will start organizing committees to deal with the practical and technical problems of the Safety First Movement. The idea is to have committees formed at all the divisional points within an short interval possible, so that all may start on practically the same footing.

Dinner to Hon. J. D. Hazen.

The fishermen of Lorneville propose to tender some time in June a salmon dinner to Hon. J. D. Hazen, M. P., J. B. M. Baxter, M. L. A., Thomas B. Carson, M. L. A., and C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A. The dinner will be non-political.

Royal George Concert.

A grand farewell concert by the Komical Knits and Poo-Foo band will be given by members of the Royal George in the York Theatre tonight. Admission 25 cents and 15 cents. 8 p. m. sharp.

CHEAP FARE FOR EASTER HOLIDAYS.

For the Easter holidays the usual holiday excursion rates will prevail on the Intercolonial Railway between station on the line. Round trip tickets will be issued April 9th and 10th, good for return April 10th.

There will be special excursion rate also between stations on the line, and to points on connecting lines, and beyond Montreal, from April 9th to 12th, good for return April 14th.

Easter Beef.

Messrs. Kane and McDonald have procured for their Easter trade 25 extra choice two-year-old steers and 50 lambs. Though fed in the Maritime Provinces these cattle surpass any western beef ever sold on local market.

PROVINCIAL BEEF BETTER THAN WESTERN

Country Market has Excellent Showing of Maritime Farm Products—Government Experimental farms

The country market is now taking on its Easter look and is well stocked for the Easter trade, bearing evidence of the healthy produce of New Brunswick and the Maritime Provinces. A significant feature of this year's market is that probably for the first time in the city's history the beef and meat displayed in the stalls is almost entirely from the Maritime Provinces. In former years the best displays, particularly in beef, represented importations from western Canada. While it may be said to be more a necessity than a choice that the local dealers are now using for local consumption Maritime Province raised cattle, the change has evidently taught the residents in this locality that little dependence need be placed on the producers of western Canada.

Local Merchants are Opposed to their commutation of the experimental farm at Nappan, N. S., and in the quality of production, W. W. Baird, superintendent of the farm has shown his ability and skill in raising the position. Other farms are also doing good work.

A Good Opening.

"Western beef for this year's Easter market will be very scarce," said a local dealer in the market, "but a plentiful supply from different points throughout the Maritime Provinces will furnish excellent choice. This season's beef, in evidence of the quality of provincial stock and bears testimony of the splendid possibility in these provinces to raise beef of quality equal and even superior to the western beef."

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"IN HIS STEPS" THE SUBJECT OF ADDRESS

Rev. Ralph J. Haughton in Illustrated Pulpit Talk on Interesting Topic—Striking Colored Pictures.

"In His Steps," the famous story of Charles Sheldon, was the theme of the address delivered by Rev. Ralph J. Haughton in the Congregational church last evening, the interest of which was accentuated by a series of striking colored pictures which have been specially prepared to illustrate the main incidents in the story. Owing to the length of the lecture dealing with the story, the pastor was not able to complete it last evening, and the story will be finished at a meeting on Wednesday.

The story "In His Steps" attracted great attention when it was first published, and the idea of having it made the subject of illustrated pulpit talks appears to have been a happy one. Judging from the interest with which it was followed by the large congregation last evening, the story gives the experiences of a man who tried to apply the precepts of Christ in his daily dealings with his fellows, and shows the grim contrasts between Christ idealism and the practical affairs of life. The colored views which were thrown on a screen back of the pulpit were very beautiful. Mr. Haughton's series of illustrated talks are evidently growing in popularity.

Seven Drunks.

Six drunks on Saturday night and one yesterday were gathered in by the police.

Tooco silk petticoats for spring and summer wear, at the extraordinary price of \$1.29 at E. A. Dymally & Co's store. The silk is of a soft clinging nature which gives such a graceful hang to a garment which is worn over it. They are made with a double bounce pleated and ruffled in such a way to make it correct in every detail. Comes in corse, paddy green, purple, copenhagen blue, black and navy.

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